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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

PATRICK ANTHONY TRIUMPH : DOCKET NO. 2:07-cv-2117
Section P

VS. : JUDGE MELANCON

MICHAEL B. MUKASEY : MAGISTRATE JUDGE HILL

J U D G M E N T

For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, and after an independent review of the record, including the objections filed by petitioner, and having determined that the findings and recommendation are correct under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that this *habeas corpus* petition be **DENIED** and **DISMISSED**.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Lafayette, Louisiana, on this 10th day of March, 2008.



Tucker L. Melançon
United States District Judge